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Gibara.—Reports show 9 arrivals, 10 bills of health issued, no deaths, and good sanitary condition.

Banes.—Report shows 4 arrivals and good sanitary condition.

Baracoa.—Report delayed.

No quarantinable disease is reported at any point in the district.

Respectfully,

OWEN W. STONE,
Acting Assistant Surgeon, U. S. M. H. S.

The SURGEON-GENERAL,
U. S. Marine-Hospital Service.

NEUVITAS, CUBA, *April 7, 1902.*

SIR: I have the honor to submit inclosed reports of transactions at some of the subports of the quarantine district under my command, as follows:

Baracoa.—Weekly report of vessels arrived, weekly abstract of bills of health issued, and weekly report of arrival of alien steerage passengers for the week ended March 29, 1902, also report of immigrants inspected in the month of March, 1902.

Gibara.—Report of immigrants inspected in the month of March, 1902.

Puerto Padre.—Report for the week ended April 5, 1902.

Respectfully,

OWEN W. STONE,
Acting Assistant Surgeon, U. S. M. H. S.

The SURGEON-GENERAL,
U. S. Marine-Hospital Service.

Reports from Nuevitas, Puerto Padre, Gibara, and Baracoa.

NUEVITAS, CUBA, *April 14, 1902.*

SIR: Through the chief quarantine officer for the island of Cuba, I have the honor to submit the following report for the quarantine district under my command, for the week ended April 12, 1902:

Eight vessels arrived at this port and 7 bills of health were given to vessels prior to departing. The mortuary report shows 1 death from enteritis. The sanitary condition is good.

Puerto Padre.—Report shows the arrival of 4 vessels, 4 bills of health issued, 2 deaths; tuberculosis, 1; inanition, 1, and good sanitary condition.

Gibara.—Report shows 15 vessels arrived, 12 bills of health issued, no deaths and good sanitary condition.

Baracoa.—Report shows 6 vessels arrived, 5 bills of health issued, 3 deaths—pulmonary tuberculosis, 1; valvular insufficiency, 1; ill-defined cause, 1—and good sanitary condition.

No quarantinable disease reported at any point in the district.

Respectfully,

OWEN W. STONE,
Acting Assistant Surgeon, U. S. M. H. S.

The SURGEON-GENERAL,
U. S. Marine-Hospital Service.

NUEVITAS, CUBA, *April 14, 1902.*

SIR: I have the honor to submit inclosed reports of transactions at some of the subports of the quarantine district under my command, as follows:

Gibara.—Weekly report of vessels arrived, weekly abstract of bills of

health issued, and weekly report of arrival of alien steerage passengers in the week ended April 5, 1902.

Baracoa.—Reports as above for the week ended April 5, 1902.

Respectfully,

OWEN W. STONE,

Acting Assistant Surgeon, U. S. M. H. S.

The SURGEON-GENERAL,

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Reports from Santiago, Manzanillo, Guantanamo, and Daiquiri.

SANTIAGO DE CUBA, April 4, 1902.

SIR: Through the chief quarantine officer for the island of Cuba, I have the honor to submit herewith the following report for the week ended March 29, 1902:

Santiago.—During this period there was a total of 14 deaths reported, making the annual rate mortality for the week 16.9 per 1,000. The causes of death were as follows: Tubercle of lungs, 2; syphilis, 2; diseases of the spinal cord, 1; endocarditis, acute, 1; organic diseases of the heart, 1; angina pectoris, 1; bronchitis, chronic, 1; asthma, 1; diarrhea and enteritis (under 2 years), 1; diarrhea and enteritis, chronic, 1; Bright's disease, 1; malformation, 1. During the week 9 vessels were inspected and passed on arrival, 6 vessels were passed without inspection, and 1 vessel was boarded and passed on master's certificate. Twelve vessels received bills of health prior to leaving port.

On March 25, 1902, the provisional flag steamship *Maria Herrera* was disinfected prior to sailing for Porto Rico. Fifteen nonimmune certificates were issued to passengers embarking for Porto Rico; 61 pieces of baggage were disinfected and 9 pieces inspected and passed.

Manzanillo.—Acting Asst. Surg. R. de Socarras reports a total of 6 deaths due to the following causes: Tubercle of lungs, 1; cerebral congestion and hemorrhage, 1; cerebral softening, 1; tetanus, infantile, 1; diarrhea and enteritis (under 2 years), 1; diarrhea and enteritis (2 years and over), 1. Annual rate of mortality for the week, 21.57 per 1,000. During the week 6 vessels were inspected and passed on arrival, 1 vessel was passed without inspection, and 12 vessels received bills of health prior to leaving port.

Guantanamo.—Acting Asst. Surg. H. S. Caminero reports a total of 3 deaths, due to the following causes: Fever, pernicious malarial, 1; meningitis, simple, 1; affections of the stomach, 1. Annual rate of mortality for the week, 8.66 per 1,000. During the week 6 vessels entered port, of which 1 was inspected and passed and 5 passed without inspection. Three bills of health were issued to vessels leaving port.

Daiquiri.—Acting Asst. Surg. Juan J. de Jongh reports the following: Week ended March 22, 1902. One death, due to pernicious malarial fever (hemorrhagic). Three vessels were inspected and passed on arrival and 4 vessels received bills of health.

Week ended March 29, 1902. No deaths reported. Three vessels were inspected and passed and 3 bills of health issued.

Respectfully,

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